

# House File 250 - Introduced

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## A BILL FOR

1 An Act requiring the state board of regents to adopt rules  
2 directing its institutions of higher learning to waive certain  
3 tuition charges for the children of police officers, fire  
4 fighters, sheriffs, deputies, volunteer emergency services  
5 providers, and individuals in protection occupations killed in  
6 the line of duty.  
7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:  
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1 1 Section 1. Section 262.9, Code 2007, is amended by adding  
1 2 the following new subsection:  
1 3 NEW SUBSECTION. 31. a. Adopt rules that require an  
1 4 institution of higher education under its control to waive the  
1 5 institution's tuition charges for any undergraduate student  
1 6 who is a resident of Iowa and meets any of the following  
1 7 criteria:  
1 8 (1) Is the child of a peace officer, as defined in section  
1 9 97A.1, who is killed in the line of duty as determined by the  
1 10 board of trustees of the Iowa department of public safety  
1 11 peace officers' retirement, accident, and disability system in  
1 12 accordance with section 97A.6, subsection 16.  
1 13 (2) Is the child of an individual in a protection  
1 14 occupation, as defined in section 97B.49B, or is the child of  
1 15 a sheriff or deputy sheriff, as defined in section 97B.49C,  
1 16 who is killed in the line of duty as determined by the Iowa  
1 17 public employees' retirement system in accordance with section  
1 18 97B.52, subsection 2.  
1 19 (3) Is the child of a volunteer emergency services  
1 20 provider, as defined in section 100B.31, who is killed in the  
1 21 line of duty as determined by the department of public safety  
1 22 in accordance with section 100B.31, subsection 2.  
1 23 (4) Is the child of a police officer or a fire fighter, as  
1 24 defined in section 411.1, who is killed in the line of duty as  
1 25 determined by the statewide fire and police retirement system  
1 26 in accordance with section 411.6, subsection 15.  
1 27 b. An individual who is eligible for a waiver under  
1 28 paragraph "a" shall complete and file an application, on a  
1 29 form approved by the board, with an institution of higher  
1 30 education under the board's control for a waiver for the  
1 31 ensuing academic year.  
1 32 c. For purposes of this subsection only, "child" means a  
1 33 person who is the surviving issue of, or a child legally  
1 34 adopted by, a person killed in the line of duty as identified  
1 35 in paragraph "a", who is under the age of thirty years, and is  
2 1 a full-time student.

## EXPLANATION

2 3 This bill requires the state board of regents to adopt  
2 4 rules directing its institutions of higher learning to waive  
2 5 undergraduate tuition charges for the children of peace and  
2 6 police officers, fire fighters, sheriffs, deputies, volunteer  
2 7 emergency services providers, and individuals in protection  
2 8 occupations killed in the line of duty.

2 9 Eligible individuals must be under the age of 30 and apply  
2 10 to the institutions for a waiver.

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